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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Defense Acquisition Regulations System

48 CFR Parts 201, 213, 217, 225, and 252

Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Technical Amendments

AGENCY: Defense Acquisition Regulations System, Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: DoD is making technical amendments to the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) to provide needed editorial changes.

DATES: Effective [Insert date of publication in the Federal Register].

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This final rule amends the DFARS as follows:

1. Directs contracting officers to additional DFARS

Procedures, Guidance, and Information (PGI) by adding references

- DFARS 201.301(b) to PGI 201.301(b);
- DFARS 201.304(4) to PGI 201.304(4);
- DFARS 201.304(5) to PGI 201.304(5); and
- DFARS 252.103 to PGI 252.103.
 - 2. Corrects a cross reference in DFARS 213.500-70.
- 3. Removes a reference to DoDI 4000.19, Support Agreements, at DFARS 217.500, since the instruction (see paragraph 2.b.(1)) no longer applies to interagency assisted acquisitions.
- 4. Updates an address at DFARS 225.870-4(a) for the Canadian Commercial Corporation.
- 5. Removes an obsolete cross reference to PGI at DFARS 225.7002-2 (b) (4).
- 6. Corrects two hyperlinks in DFARS clause 252.213-7000, Notice to Prospective Suppliers on Use of Past Performance Information Retrieval System-Statistical Reporting in Past Performance Evaluations.
- List of Subjects in 48 CFR Parts 201, 213, 217, 225, and 252 Government procurement.

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Therefore, 48 CFR parts 201, 213, 217, 225, and 252 are amended as follows:

1. The authority citation for 48 CFR parts 201, 213, 217, 225, and 252 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 41 U.S.C. 1303 and 48 CFR chapter 1.

PART 201-FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATIONS SYSTEM

2. Revise section 201.301(b) to read as follows:

201.301 Policy.

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- (b) When Federal Register publication is required for any policy, procedure, clause, or form, the department or agency requesting Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics) (USD(AT&L)) approval for use of the policy, procedure, clause, or form (see 201.304(1)) must include an analysis of the public comments in the request for approval. Information on determining when a clause requires publication in the Federal Register and approval in accordance with 201.304(1) is provided at PGI 201.301(b).
- 3. Revise section 201.304, paragraphs (4) and (5), to read as follows:

201.304 Agency control and compliance procedures.

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(4) Each department and agency must develop and, upon approval by OUSD(AT&L)DPAP, implement, maintain, and comply with a plan for controlling the use of clauses other than those prescribed by FAR

- or DFARS. Additional information on department and agency clause control plan requirements is available at PGI 201.304(4).
- (5) Departments and agencies must submit requests for the Secretary of Defense, USD(AT&L), and OUSD(AT&L)DPAP approvals required by this section through the Director of the DAR Council. Procedures for requesting approval of department and agency clauses are provided at PGI 201.304(5).

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PART 213-SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITION PROCEDURES

213.500-70 [Amended]

4. Amend section 213.500-70 by removing "PGI".

PART 217-SPECIAL CONTRACTING METHODS

217.500 [Amended]

5. Amend section 217.500 by removing "FAR Subpart 17.5, this subpart, and DoDI 4000.19 apply" and adding "FAR subpart 17.5 and this subpart apply" in its place.

PART 225-FOREIGN ACQUISITION

225.870-4 [Amended]

6. Amend section 225.870-4 by removing "11th Floor, 50 O'Connor Street, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, K1A-0S6" and adding "350 Albert Street, Suite 700, Ottawa, ON K1R 1A4" in its place.

225.7002-2 [Amended]

7. Amend section 225.7002-2 by removing paragraph (b) (4).

PART 252-SOLICITATION PROVISIONS AND CONTRACT CLAUSES

8. Add section 252.103 to subpart 252.1 to read as follows:

252.102 Identification of provisions and clauses.

For guidance on numbering department or agency provisions and clauses, see PGI 252.103.

252.213-7000 [Amended]

- 9. Amend section 252.213-7000 by-
- a. Removing the clause date "(MAY 2015)" and adding "(JUN 2015)" in its place;
- b. In paragraph (d)-
- i. Removing "https://www.ppirs.gov/ppirsfiles/pdf/PPIRS-
- SR UserMan.pdf" and adding "https://www.ppirs.gov/pdf/PPIRSSR UserMan.pdf" in its place; and
- ii. Removing "https://www.ppirs.gov/pdf/PPIRS-
- SR DataEvaluationCriteria.pdf" in its place.

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